Job Title:	Auto Shop Technician Apprentice	Wage/Hour Status	Hourly
Reports to:	Assigned Supervisor	Pay Grade:	TR3
Dept. /School:	Transportation	Date Revised:	August 11, 2023

# **Primary Purpose**

Contribute to the safe and efficient operation of the district fleet vehicles by performing preventive maintenance and basic routine repairs.

# Qualifications

### **Education/Certification**

High School Diploma/GED Valid Texas Driver License Must obtain valid Commercial Driver's License with Passenger and School Bus Endorsements within 90 days of hire date Must obtain School Bus Driver Certification within 90 days of hire date Must pass alcohol and drug tests Must pass annual physical examinations Must possess and maintain basic automotive tools

### Special Knowledge/Skills

- Ability to follow verbal and written instructions
- Ability to communicate effectively
- Knowledge of basic routine maintenance and repair procedures on vehicles
- Ability to diagnose minor to medium mechanical problems and perform repairs
- Ability to operate hand and power tools
- Ability to work independently
- Ability to operate a school bus
- Ability to utilize electronic diagnostic tools
- Basic knowledge of computers and software applications

### Experience

General knowledge of auto mechanics

#### **Major Responsibilities and Duties**

- 1. Fix flat tires, pump fuel in vehicles, clean the automotive shop and perform other related labor tasks.
- 2. Assist technicians in repairing automotive vehicles and school buses.
- 3. Service vehicles according to established preventive maintenance schedules.
- 4. Rotate and balance tires, change oil and filters, lubricate vehicle parts, inspect and replace hoses, belts, mirrors, lighting, and maintain all fluid levels.
- 5. Ensure equipment is in safe operating condition.
- 6. Follow established safety procedures and techniques to perform job duties, including lifting and climbing.
- 7. Safeguard and maintain tools issued.
- 8. Check fluid levels and replace oil, water, battery and other fluids, as needed.
- 9. Perform duties of school bus driver, as needed.
- 10. Be familiar with basic diagnosing procedures.
- 11. Perform other duties as assigned by supervisor.

#### **Supervisory Responsibilities**

None

### Equipment Used

Power tools/Air tools, hand tools, hand truck, welder, and diagnostic tools. Light truck, van, and bus.

### **Physical and Mental Job Requirements**

# Mental Demands/Physical Demands/Environmental Factors

Work indoor and outdoor. Exposure to extreme temperatures, dust, fumes, and odors. Continual walking and standing; frequent heavy lifting and carrying; climbing, stooping, bending, kneeling, and reaching. Exposure to mechanical, electrical, and chemical hazards. Work around moving objects and vehicles. Must be able to lift 45 pounds and over. Frequent Districtwide travel.

### **Terms of Employment**

238 days; hourly rate to be established by the Board of Trustees

The foregoing statements describe the general purpose and responsibilities assigned to this job and are not an exhaustive list of all responsibilities and duties that may be assigned or skills that may be required.

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My supervisor has reviewed this job description with me and has provided me a copy

Employee:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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